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BOY DIES FROM TERRIBLE BURNS RECEIVED WHILE PLAYING INDIAN

**Morris Wasserman
Little Son of Mr. and
Mrs. H. Wasserman
Meets Terrible Death**

WATCHING FATHER'S SHOP

**Indian Suit in Which He is
Attired Catches Fire--Lad
Rushes Into Street His
Clothing Ablaze**

Morris Wasserman, the 10-year-old son of Haman Wasserman of 329 Fallowfield avenue, died at about 10:45 o'clock this morning at the Memorial Hospital, Monongahela, from burns which he sustained last evening. The boy's clothing took fire while he was playing around a gas stove in his father's shoe repair shop, and before the flames could be extinguished he was terribly burned about the upper part of his body. When the boy's clothing took fire he dashed into the street and wildly fled in the direction of Fourth street. He was seen by John Sarver, Joseph Entrott and a couple other men. Sarver seized the little fellow and wrapped two large coats around his body. Entrott and the other men arriving on the scene assisted in extinguishing the blaze. The boy was carried to Dr. Edwin McKay's office to have the burns dressed after which he was removed to the hospital at Monongahela, where he died this morning.

Attired in an Indian suit little Morris was playing Indian while his father was home for supper. It is supposed that in getting too close to the stove his Indian suit caught fire. Almost the entire upper part of the boy's body was covered with burns, and even when he was taken to the hospital little hope was entertained for his recovery. He leaves both parents, two sisters, and four brothers, Jacob, John, Harry and David.

Will Hold Supper

The teachers and officers of the Christian church will hold a supper in the Sunday school room of the church at 6 o'clock this evening. The object of this meeting is to advance the interests of the Sunday school and the church.

Eminent Divine Coming

Lenten services will be held in the Episcopal church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. E. H. Neiler, rector of St. Paul's church, Kittanning, will preach. Mr. Neiler is said to be a particularly talented preacher, and a large attendance is expected.

Burial in Pittsburgh

After a requiem high mass at St. Jerome's church this morning the body of John Fitzgerald, who died Sunday morning at this home in Dunlevy, was taken to Pittsburgh on the 10:29 train, where it will be buried in the Calvary cemetery.

Oatman's Dancing School

Wednesday night, Bank hall. Beginners class 7:30. Social dance 8:45. The new barn dance will be taught Wednesday night. 1911

Country Eggs. Lots of them, 21 cents per dozen. Charleroi City Grocery. 20242

WILL REBUILD LOCAL FOUNDRY

**Stockholders Decide Work
Shall Be Pushed to Early
Completion**

TO HANDLE AUTOMOBILES

It was decided by the stockholders and directors of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company at a meeting held yesterday afternoon to rebuild the plant on McKean avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets which was destroyed by fire on December 16. Work will begin at once.

It is planned to erect similar buildings to those which were burned. An automobile garage will be constructed and the Hupmobile and Jackson cars handled as before. The estimated cost of the work to be done will be about \$7,500 or \$8,000. It is expected that the new plant will be in shape for complete operation sometime this spring, although the automobile garage may not be finished by that time.

Practically all the machinery used by the foundry and machine company has been overhauled and put in the best of shape. Very little new equipment will be needed.

Insurance on the burned buildings to the amount of \$18,170 has been paid promptly by the 14 companies carrying the risk.

J. F. Donaghy is the president and general manager of the company, P. G. Wallager vice president and treasurer, and John E. Donaghy secretary. The directors are J. F. Donaghy, P. G. Wallager, G. M. Donaghy, John E. Donaghy and Walter Byerly.

PRESIDENT IS ELECTED BY COUNCIL

**North Charleroi Dads
Hold Reorganization
Meeting**

OTHER OFFICERS NAMED

North Charleroi borough council held its reorganization meeting last night. David Schafer was elected president and two of the three vacancies existing in council were filled by re-electing Councilmen Samuel Gaskill and Jasper Rockwell. The election of the remaining councilman was deferred until a later meeting. Present committees were continued, the president to fill any vacancies that may exist. Borough officers elected for the ensuing year were James W. Haggerty, borough clerk; S. W. Sharpneck, treasurer, and Hugh E. Fergus solicitor.

Previous to the reorganization the treasurer's report showing a balance in the treasury of \$133.60 was accepted and bills ordered paid to the amount of \$105.36. The real estate committee was empowered to rent

APPLICANTS FOR MINE FOREMAN CERTIFICATES TAKING EXAMINATIONS

**District Examining Board in Charge of Test Be-
ginning Today at Savings and
Trust Company Hall**

QUESTIONS COVER EVERY PHASE OF THE WORK

This morning the examinations for mine foremen in the 21st Bituminous district were begun in the Charleroi Savings and Trust company hall, being conducted by the district examining board consisting of Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham, Harry C. Drum and Peter Crockett.

There are 35 applicants taking the examination: They are: L. P. Muir, Joseph F. Joy, Belle Vernon; Alex F. Dickson, W. E. Dickson, W. H. Gille, Hugh Young, Roscoe, T. J. Murphy, William Mathieson, Stockdale; Edward L. Hase, Arnold City, Thomas Dinnen, M. L. O'Brien, Wm. H. Barker, Henry Kane, C. R. Bivens, Richard Brackenridge, and Samuel McFarlane, Rayette City; G. F. Young, Coal Center; Roy Dick, J. D. Simpson, M. C. Carroll, Joe Crockett, Lloyd Uichlow, California; Wilbert M. Downer, John Mallabone, Jr., Robert J. Wood, Reese Nicholas,

John Dunlap, Allenport, Otto Enfield, Brownsville; Haylet Easton, Daniel Jones, Percy Willis, Pricedale; Joseph Maize, Van Voorhis; Richard Maize, Ellsworth; Alex Anderson, Arthur Wells, Charleroi.

The questions are much the same as usual. The preliminary questions are concerning data as to age, time of employment, where employed, how long a miner, and similar questions.

Section 1 questions are concerning the legal requirements on haulage, roads ventilation, methods of reducing accidents from falls of coal and slate, how to prevent accident from mine cars, how to rescue men in case of mine fire, how to place pit posts, under what conditions coal dust is dangerous, and how to protect the lives of workmen from danger arising from the use of explosives in mines. A number of mechanical questions are asked which are of grave importance to the miners.

NOTED LECTURER WILL GIVE TALKS

**Prof. Patton to Make Ad-
dresses at Local
Churches**

Prof. H. D. Patton of Lancaster will lecture upon temperance at Lock No 4 Wednesday evening April 5, at the hall. On Thursday, April 6, he will speak in the M. E. church at Charleroi, where a conference will be held at 3:30. On Friday, April 7, he will be at the Christian church. The time of all talks will be at 7:45. Mr. Patton is an able speaker and a large attendance is expected.

the borough hall to the school board for storing purpose during the course of erection of the new school. Members present were Schafer, Sloan, Gaskill, Cope and Rockwell.

Following adjournment of the old body sine die Herman Nebulung was elected temporary president and the election of officers proceeded.

The street committee was instructed to employ an engineer to establish a street line and curb line along Lincoln avenue, Lincoln avenue extension, Fourth street and Pennsylvania avenue.

An ordinance regulating the opening and excavation on the paved streets of the borough passed first reading.

The matter of open or exposed gas pipes was brought up and was referred to the street committee for their prompt attention.

To cover work to be done the coming year \$175 was appropriated to the Board of Health.

The street committee was instructed to secure an estimate for paving Seventh street between Lincoln avenue and West Railroad street. It is the intention to have the present crossing at Fifth street moved to Seventh street in the near future.

A resolution was passed granting the Valley Crystal Ice and Storage company permission to construct a conveyor over Long alley under the condition that they protect the borough from any damage claims.

Pittsburg Railway Co.

Round trip ticket to Washington at reduced rate. For sale at Migh's Book Store, McKean avenue. 20243

Notice

Our milk has that sweet, pleasant taste. It's Bonnell's dairy. 20244

See Fleming's ranges. 19244

CHARLEROI COUNCIL HEARS ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOROUGH TREASURER

ANNUAL REPORTS FOR FISCAL YEAR

**First Presbyterian Church
Holds Annual Congrega-
tional Meeting**

TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED

Reports for the year were read and two trustees and an elder were elected last night at the annual meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church. Total receipts for the fiscal year ending April 1 were \$2,219.72.

Receipts for pastor's salary and general expenses were the largest for any separate fund. In this fund \$1,248.01 was collected. Disbursements amounted to \$2,219.95. The largest expenditure was for pastor's salary of \$1,200. A payment of \$200 was made during the year on a note.

In the Sunday School there were total receipts of \$411.07. Disbursements amounted to \$238.06, leaving in the treasury a balance of \$173.01. The amount in the regular treasury is \$61.54. The Ladies Aid Society reported receipts during the year of \$1,039.74 and expenditures of \$778.14. The Junior Christian Endeavor society reported receipts of \$16.38.

Robert Beaver was elected an elder and John Donaghy and Ed. Pensyl trustees.

**Much Important Busi-
ness is Taken Up
at the Regular Month-
ly Meeting**

THE REPORT OF BURGESS

**March a Slow Month in Po-
lice Circles--Light Com-
mittee Presents Report
and Recommendation**

The yearly report of Borough Treasurer E. W. Hastings occupied the attention of council at their regular monthly meeting last night. The total receipts of the year were \$46,403.03, and the disbursements amounted to \$46,548.30. There is a balance in the treasury to date of \$961.97.

President J. K. Hein was in the chair and the following member of council were present, C. O. Frye, Dr. A. O. Davis, W. R. Gaut, Oscar C. Linn, W. H. Calvert. Councilman Charles Schmeiler was absent.

Councilman Gaut of the fire, water and light committee reported that the committee recommended placing a Tungston light at the corner of Fourth street and Lincoln avenue, as petitioned by residents of that section. He recommended the location of ten additional fire plugs in various parts of the borough. The report and recommendation were accepted.

Frank L. May was present asking for a sewer on Oakland avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets at his property. Mr. O'Connell was present representing a disinfectant company and council gave an order for some of their disinfectant to be used in the table and the lockup.

Jesse Smith asked for the grade for a sidewalk on Second street and council took action to have an engineer prepare plans and specifications.

The revised ordinance of the C. D. C. and P. Telephone company was reported by the ordinance committee, and it passed second reading.

Burgess Risbeck reported 41 arrests during the month and \$50.90 collected in fines and costs. Treasurer E. W. Hastings reported for last month receipts amounting to \$2,704, and disbursements of \$1,917.60 leaving a balance in the treasury of \$961.97.

Mr. Godisart has a hotel and restaurant and is doing a thriving business. On Sundays, Mr. Wilson said, he frequently serves as high as 500 meals. Los Angeles is over-crowded with small business places, according to Mr. Wilson's observation, and only the banks, the real estate agents, the hotels and a few of the larger stores are making money. The city is crowded with unemployed men, and is no place for a man seeking employment. Money commands from one to two per cent a month.

J. Harshman and Allen Rockwell, formerly of North Charleroi, Mr. Wilson says, are at Los Angeles doing well in the contracting business. Fred Thompson he found at Gardena taking life easy in a beautiful bungalow, raising breeds of fancy chickens on a two-acre plot.

While in Texas Mr. Wilson went across the Rio Grande to Juarez, the seat of the Mexican rebellion. He was there immediately after the first battle with the insurgents, and saw some of the prisoners the Federals had.

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CHARLEROI PEOPLE IN FAR WEST

**M. Wilson Describes
Visit With Former
Residents**

WAS IN THE WAR ZONE

M. Wilson of Fallowfield avenue returned Saturday from a seven months' tour through the west and on the Pacific coast. During his absence he visited St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Lincoln, Denver, Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Cripple Creek, Leadville and other prominent cities. He spent five months in California, and while in that State visited the most of the Charleroi people who have gone to the Golden Gate State.

At Pomona Mr. Wilson met M. E. Riggs and V. E. Reeves who have purchased a 10 acre orange grove there, with the trees in splendid bearing. Some of the trees yield as high as 20 boxes of oranges. The entire crop of the 10 acres was sold for \$4,000 on the trees. Mr. Riggs proposes to divide five acres of the tract into lots, build houses on them, and sell with a small grove on each lot. Mr. Wilson thinks the project a money-maker.

S. W. Ross and J. G. Godisart former Charleroi business men, Mr. Wilson found at Los Angeles. Mr. Ross has a beautiful house and is engaged in the real estate business.

Lawrence House Paints do not crack, peel nor blister. J. H. Bowers. 20241

Miss Adele Heupel returned this morning to Beaver College after a visit of three days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heupel of Lincoln avenue.

Miss Agnes Thompson is in Pittsburgh on business today.

Miss C. Gilford is demonstrating Madame Maselle's complexion beautifier at Berryman's store.

Mrs. James Ohleger was taken the West Penn Hospital at Pittsburgh today.

Electric lamps 4, 8, and 16, 20 and 32 c.p. at Fleming's. 19844

Bonnell's Jersey herd dairy. 20244

Mrs. J. H. Bowers is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Washington avenue is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

P. T. Kameron and H. L. Hall of Greensburg were in town yesterday on business.

L. R. Piatt of Ridgeway was in town yesterday.

Miss Pearl L. Sanders, teacher of Piano and organ. Call or address 509 First street, Charleroi, Pa. 20142

Go to Fleming's for gas supplies. 19244

Professor Harry Cornwall was up yesterday from Pittsburgh looking after his professional business here. Mr. Cornwall is a teacher of piano and harmony and will be here every Monday to instruct a limited number of students. 20341

J. H. White of Connelville was in town yesterday looking after business interests.

Chas. P. Keifer of Brookline transacted business in Charleroi yesterday.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

A Systematizer

It systematizes affairs to have a Checking Account, as your check book enables you to conduct your business in the most practical and accurate manner.

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C. T. Hixenbaugh... Speers

April 4 in American History.

1776—Washington's army left Cambridge, Mass., to march to the defense of New York.

1792—Thaddeus Stevens, statesman, born; died 1868.

1841—William Henry Harrison, ninth president of the United States, died; born 1773.

1865—President Lincoln entered Richmond; sequence of the fall of Petersburg and the evacuation of their capital by the Confederates.

1879—Mme. Patterson-Bonaparte, at one time wife of Jerome, Napoleon's youngest brother, died; born 1785.

1883—Peter Cooper, philanthropist, founder of Cooper Institute, in New York, died; born 1791.

1906—General Blanco, last captain general of Cuba, died; born 1832.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:33; moon sets 12:58 a. m.

For County Commissioner

JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.

Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

For Register of Wills,

FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.

Primaries June, 1911

Marks an Epoch

Should Governor Tener's Public Utilities Commission bill reported into the Legislature become a law, it will mark an epoch in the corporate history of Pennsylvania. Never before has proposed legislation in the State taken such cognizance of the rights of the people, or offered such means of redress for public grievances as this measure. It is devoutly hoped that the measure will pass in its entirety, and that the courts will sustain its full intent and purpose.

With a law like this on the statute books, which will compel the public service corporations to play fair, much of the popular discontent and hostility to corporations will be eliminated. It was contempt of the public rights on the part of these corporations, and their peculiar methods of financing and operation that arrayed the public against them and created much of the friction that has developed. All that the public asks is for the corporations to do business on the level, and to give value received for the special corporate privileges they are granted. The public needs the service undertaken by these corporations, but the latter must give adequate returns. The public is here to be served—not to be zled.

When corporations are so restrained that they know they cannot "hog" things, and that they must pursue the same personal and business ethics as man to man and neighbor to neighbor, things will move along better. The public is content to permit the corporations to receive a fair compensation on their investment but the latter must no longer be permitted to flim-flam the public for the privileges they enjoy.

Lexowing

If resolutions introduced in the present Legislature materialize, both

Pittsburg and Philadelphia will be "Lexowed," that is, investigated as to their moral and civic conditions by special committees appointed by the Legislature. The process got its name during one of the shake-ups in New York, when a legislative committee under the chairmanship of a legislator named Lexow, looked into the vice conditions of New York, as traded upon and bartered for political advantages by Tammany Hall leaders. Certain charges made by eminent Pittsburghers before the joint Legislative committee in Harrisburg in support of an argument for a new city charter precipitated the action.

While little is expected to result from a "Lexowing" investigation, as more or less whitewash always is applied in such cases, thousands of Pittsburghers and others familiar with the situation know that things are many fold worse than have been pictured. When a municipal administration starts out with the vowed intention of building up a political machine that cannot be broken, something must figure as trading assets, and in this case irregularities and vice are the collateral. All who are in the least familiar with conditions in Pittsburgh know that under the present administration things in the underworld are wider open than under the preceding administration, and that previous to Mayor Guthrie's election, "Darker Pittsburgh and Allegheny" were about the darkest spots on the municipal map of the United States. Then it was that the political organization of Pittsburgh was, in the language of its chief, "as safe as a bank."

If conditions in Pittsburgh were exposed as they really are—as the police and newspaper men know them to be—the public would be more shocked than it is now over the revelations that only touch the fringe of conditions. The "Lexowing," however, will not reveal the true conditions.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

You don't have to tell many jokes to make the girl with the pretty teeth laugh.

Many a man has exchanged his favorite ballad from "Mary, My Scotch Bluebell" to "Cherry, My Scotch Highball."

Monongahela is said to have a number of Black Hand men. Is it possible?

Conventions are becoming so numerous that they are actually nuisances.

When it comes to real fighting it's up to the old fashioned American Indian to demonstrate how it should be done.

A Washington man is in a serious

condition as the result of a bitten finger. But didn't he know any better than to bite his finger?

Unfentown between times stirs up a councilmanic muddle.

We haven't heard a thing about the changes in the baseball rules.

When Charlie Taft put on long pants everybody started calling him Mister Taft. Other young folks still stick to their old names as a rule when they grow up.

It's funny that the \$5 a half hour vocal instructors never find anybody who can please them, excepting themselves.

An exchange says that thing of looking for trouble and kicking when you find it is all darn nonsense.

"Don't kiss me" signs are all right to place on people under 16 years old, but it would be silly to try to enforce the rule on chorus girls and comedians.

Breathes there a girl with soul so

dead,

Who never to herself hath said

"This is my new, my Easter hat,"

Whose soul within her hath not

burned,

As heads to look at her hath turned,

As in her paw she sat.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"What's that little scrap of poetry about a young man's fancy lightly turning to thoughts of love in the spring?" asked a Charleroi citizen, who on the street corner with one or two others was observing signs and seasons which herald the approach of spring. "That hits me in the spring—not sentimental love, but the love of the woods, green fields and babbling brooks. I was born and bred in the opee, but all my later life I've been housed within four walls, a part of that 'ime on night duty. Nothing is more irksome, and the struggles I have between duty and the almost irresistible call of the wild every spring is something I don't like to think about. What makes me melancholy is that there is no more wild country in the east any more, where one could lose himself for a time like there used to be.

"I'd like nothing better than to build me a cabin somewhere in the wilderness and spend the rest of my days. I could find diversion enough in the changing seasons, the growth and development of animal and plant life as well as 'books in the running brooks and sermons in stones.' It is a disappointed ambition that I cannot live near to Nature's heart. I dream of it at night as well as think of it constantly in the spring time. When I die I know that I shall, like Falstaff, 'babble of green fields.'"

"Will anyone tell me why fil is cast on one body?" said the smart 'devil' who was learning the lay of the case in the Mail office recently. "I can't for the life of me think of a single word with fil in it."

"Oh, 'piffle,' said the foreman

"Go on with the work, and don't be afflicted with so much curiosity."

"How easy it is to get in wrong," said a traveling man at the station the other day. "During the past week I was in the home office in Philadelphia, and one day while at dinner in a restaurant I said to the waitress.

"Have you frogs' legs?"

"No," she replied, I've a sprained

ankle that makes me walk this way."

"Now, what in the world is a man to do when he is misunderstood in that manner?"

NO MORE RUNNING SORES

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The mighty healing powers of San Cura Ointment are little short of marvelous. It gives instant relief and is guaranteed to cure salt rheum, eczema, bleeding, itching protruding piles, ulcers, boils, carbuncles, chapped hands and chilblains. For cuts, burns, scalds and bruises, it stops all pain quickly and heals promptly. 25c. and 50c. a jar. By mail on receipt of price, if your druggist is out of it or does not keep it.

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For tender, itching or irritable skin, wash with San Cura, the only antiseptic soap that soothes and heals, and kills all germs of disease. It will cure pimples, blackheads and makes the complexion clear and attractive. 25c at W. F. Hennings'.

Mail orders for San Cura Ointment Soap filled by Thompson Medical Co., Titusville, Pa.

Moving From Town

J. W. McKean, who recently disposed of his jewelry business on Fallowfield avenue to move to Woodlawn, has sold his house on the corner of Fourth street and Washington avenue to Harry Duval of Fallowfield township. The McKean family will leave Charleroi in about two weeks.

Lloyd Wagner who has been sick the past two weeks returned to school today at the Pittsburg Medical department in Pittsburg.



NO MATTER

Spring days are bound to come. Look over the styles now and be prepared when the time comes to wear your new SPRING SUIT. Spring suits—excellently hand tailored in the newest and smartest styles at

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A WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.

Effect It Produced on Her Husband's Business Affairs.

A delegation of young men lately waited on their employer's wife with the oddest request on record. "You see, madam," said the spokesman, "we want to have a half holiday every Saturday. Now, if you will be particularly nice to Mr. Page for a few days we'll go to him and ask."

"Gentlemen," the lady haughtily interrupted, "do you imply that I do not understand what is due to my husband?"

"Oh, I know all about it, madam," the spokesman went on. "I'm married myself. Things go wrong in the house, and you're tired and cross at breakfast, then we suffer at the office. You stay up late to chaperon your daughter at a ball, and we have more trouble at the office. You're a bit cross three mornings in succession for one reason or another, and we have a—terrible time at the office."

"You see how the matter stands and how greatly you will oblige us by being more than usually agreeable to Mr. Page for three or four days. The fourth day give him the best breakfast you can—everything that he likes best—and we'll get what we want in three minutes."

"Talk about a woman having no influence in the business! Why, the humor she's in has more effect than a bank failure or a boom in trade."

She thought she ought to be angry, but instead she laughed and agreed to the proposition, and four days later when they waited on the head of the firm he made the closing hour 12 o'clock and said never in the history of the firm had things run as satisfactorily as they had during the last four days.—London Tit-Bits.

Hongkong the Luxurious.

Hongkong, with its luxurious hotels, its princely clubs, its rich and influential banks, housed in splendidly constructed and beautifully designed buildings; its shipyards and graving docks able to care for the largest vessels; its miles of warehouses bursting with wealth; its yellow sailed fleets laden with silks, tea, sugar and precious porcelains; its commerce almost as great as that of New York; its botanic gardens hung amid delightful villas overlooking a harbor that is a city in itself and that floats 10,000 sails; Hongkong, with its wonderful temples of ornate teak roofs, its idols of a hundred sects, its French cathedral, its forts, garrison and naval life, its Happy Valley race course—all at the end of white man's civilization. Supreme from the peak on which it rests, it well brood aloofness it looks askance a world Asia, whence it sprung.—W. Aylward in Harper's Magazine.

How "Thon" Would Work.

"Thon" is the word which has been suggested for use as an English pronoun of common gender, a luxury which the English language has thus far had the fortune to forego. It was considered suitable for English because it came from the Greek. Its use may be illustrated as follows:

If a parent desires to spank thon's (his or her, as the case may be) child thon (he or she) should take thon (him or her or it) across thon's knee. Then thon should remove thon's slipper, and after explaining to the child the reprehensibility of thon's conduct thon should apply the slipper to that portion of thon's anatomy which from time immemorial has been dedicated to that purpose.

It may easily be seen from the above how "thon" effects great clarification.—Lippincott's.

The Real Thing.

"This," said the young benedict who was just realizing that he had caught a tartar, "is what I call real married life."

"I'm glad you're satisfied with something," she snapped.

"Oh, I'm not! I merely meant to inform you that it is not ideal."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Business Directory

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Bell Phone 23-R

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One day a newcomer, in search of temporary lodgings, attracted by a conspicuous sign in the window of the first of these two houses, stepped to the door to make inquiry.

"I see you have furnished rooms here," he said to the swarthy man who answered his knock.

"Ya," rejoined the foreigner, pointing to the furnished room sign, "dere's da sign."

"Well, if you have one that's suitable I'd like to rent it for awhile."

"We no rent da rooms," was the bewildering declaration. "I got my family in here, and dey take up all da house."

"Don't rent any rooms? Why, then, have you that sign stuck in the window?"

"I'll tell you. Las' week dat fellow next door hang such a sign in his front window, an' we'n I see dat I put one of da same kind in my front window, just to show da people dat he ain't only man in dis place dat have his rooms furnished!"—Judge's Library.

SEEING THE FAR EAST.

It Should Be Viewed Through the Bible and "Arabian Nights."

The best books on the east, as every one knows, are the Bible and the "Arabian Nights," and yet I found most travelers were saturating themselves with snappy descriptions of monuments and places, with tabloids of history, with technical paragraphs on architecture and the ethnic religions, with figures about the height of this and the length of that or condensed statistics of exports and imports and the tonnage through the Suez canal and dates about the Pharaohs and the Mughals. No wonder they see nothing, know nothing, enjoy nothing and come home bringing a few expetives, adjectives and photographs which can be had for a small price in either New York or London.

The first thing to do in going to the east is to turn your education out on your desk so that you can get at the bottom of it, and there you will find the Bible and the "Arabian Nights" and the "Odyssey" and "Iliad" and "Virgil" and "Herodotus" and "Xenophon," and you will realize what a fool you were not to have devoted more time to them when you were asked to do so. Guide books can get you to the east, but they do not get you inside. It is temperament, not trains, that counts.—Price Collier in Scribner's Magazine.

Perfumes.

Civet is an aromatic substance of the consistence of honey and is obtained from a pouch on the civet cat, an animal from two to three feet long and about ten or twelve inches high. The best known of animal odors is musk, which is obtained from the musk deer. China furnishes the best quality. Twenty-five pods or sacks are packed in oblong boxes composed of plates of lead inclosed in a caddy made of pasteboard. Musk is obtained from Assam, Siberia, the Altai mountains and other parts of northern Asia. Ambergris is another animal odor. It is secreted in the intestines of the sperm whale. A very curious fact is that ambergris is only accumulated by disease—that is, it is only secreted in a sick whale. It is very hard, of a light gray color and is found in quantities varying from twenty to fifty pounds. It is worth about \$8 an ounce.—London Standard.

Mucilage and Gum.

"I went into a stationer's shop in London one day," said an American, "and said to the shop assistant:

"Do you keep mucilage?"

"No, sir," the young man answered. "We try to take in all the papers, but there are so many new ones coming out. Still, I can order mucilage for you, sir. Which number did you want?"

"I learned afterward that I should have asked for gum. They don't have the word 'mucilage' over there in England."

"But an Englishman travelling on one of our railways stopped a train boy and said:

"Have you got any gum?"

"No; I don't use it, boss," the boy replied in friendly fashion, "but I can let you have a chew off this here plug."—Washington Star.

An Accomplished Linguist.

"Did you learn any French while you were in Paris?" asked Bildad, meeting Silthurs shortly after his return from Europe.

"Oh, a little," said Silthurs. "Not so very much, though. I got so I could say cigarette in French."

"Good!" said Bildad. "What is cigarette in French?"

"Cigarette," said Silthurs.—Harper's Weekly.

Taking Away From the Subject.

When Frederick Robertson of Brighton, the great preacher who had written much about Tennyson's poems and for whom the poet had a high regard, first called upon him, "I felt," said Tennyson, "as if he had come to pluck out the heart of my mystery, so I talked to him about nothing but beer."

For the First Come.

Young Man—So Miss Ethel is your oldest sister. Who comes after her? Small Brother—Nobody ain't come yet, but pa says the first fellow that comes can have her.—Boston Transcript.

Two Precious.

"Makers to his majesty" and "imported" are words that carry much weight to many minds. It is strange what a glory a foreign label can cast upon a commonplace article. The fact of a commodity having crossed the water, however, is not taken quite so seriously today as it was some fifty or sixty years ago. M. C. D. Slisbee gives an instance in her "A Half Century in Salem."

Miss Ann M. Rust was one of the two milliners. She had a large collection of finery, shelves full of handsome ribbons and glass showcases of rich emeralds, besides the inevitable bonnets. Once she imported a quantity of exquisite French caps. The strings were somewhat crushed in the transit across the ocean. The caps were quickly disposed of. An aunt bought one, and Miss Rust innocently observed that a "warm iron would make the creases all right."

"What!" indignantly exclaimed the aunt. "Smooth a crease made in Paris? No, indeed; never!"

A Famous English Clock.

Wells cathedral contains one of the most interesting clocks in the whole world. It was constructed by Peter Lightfoot, a monk, in 1320 and embraces many devices which testify to the ancient horologist's ingenuity. Several celestial and terrestrial bodies are incorporated in the interesting movement and relationship. They indicate the hours of the day, the age of the moon and the position of the planets and the tides. When the clock strikes the hour two companies of horsemen fully armed dash out of gateways in opposite directions and charge vigorously. They strike with their lances as they pass as many times as correspond with the number of the hour. A little distance away, seated on a high perch, is a quaint figure, which kicks the quarters on two bells placed beneath his feet and strikes the hours on a bell. The dial of the clock is divided into twenty-four hours and shows the phases of the moon and a map of the universe.—Harper's.

He Made Them Listen.

"X" Beldier, the old vigilante leader of Montana, was elected sheriff of Lewis and Clark county, in which Helena is situated. During Beldier's incumbency the jail was rebuilt and one of the new fashioned steel cages for the prisoners installed. Beldier invited all the notables down to see the cage when it was completed. The governor and the state and city officials and many prominent citizens accepted the invitation. "X" took them into a cage and excused himself for a minute. He went out and locked the door. Then he took a chair and sat down outside.

"Now, dern ye," he said to the imprisoned notables, "ye've bin edgin' off lately when I was tellin' my stories of the old days an' not listenin' to 'em. Now I reckon ye'll listen."

He kept them there three hours—until he had told his whole budget of tales.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

Max O'Rell's Reply.

Max O'Rell at a dinner in Montreal at which were present English, Scotch, Irish and French was asked to give his opinion of the different races. Here is the answer he gave on the instant.

"The Scotchman," he said, and he clinched his right hand tightly and pretended to try to force it open with his left. "The Englishman"—And he went through the same performance, opening the hand at the end after an apparent struggle. "The Irishman"—And he held out his hand wide open, with the palm upward. "The Frenchman"—And he made a motion with both hands as if he were emptying them on the table.

There was not a word of explanation, but all understood thoroughly and had a hearty laugh.

A Good Shot.

A sportsman of great imaginative gifts and fond of telling his exploits related that at one shot he had brought down two partridges and a hare. His explanation was that, although he had only hit one partridge, the bird in falling had clutched at another partridge and brought that to earth entangled in its claws.

"But how about the hare?" he was asked.

"Oh," was the calm reply, "my gun kicked and knocked me backward, and I fell on the hare as it ran past!"

An Old Christmas Law.

The general court of Massachusetts Bay Colony, following the example of the English parliament, in 1659 enacted a law that "anybody who is found observing, by abstinence from labor, feasting or any other way, any such day as Christmas day shall pay for every such offense 5 shillings." This law was repealed in 1681.

It Got Warmer.

Little Willie—Say, pa, doesn't it get colder when the thermometer falls? Pa—Yes, my son. Little Willie—Well, ours has fallen. Pa—How far? Little Willie—About five feet, and when it struck the hall floor it broke."

On the Trail.

"I'm gunning for railroads," announced the trust buster. "Then come with me," whispered the near humorist. "I can show you some of the tracks."—Brooklyn Life.

He Was Immune.

Howell—Her laugh is contagious. Powell—Well, I was in no danger of catching it. She was laughing at me.—New York Press.

To know the worst is one way whereby to better it.—Alfred Austin.

How Old People May Prolong Their Lives

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BRILLAT-SAVARIN.

Tribulations of the Famous French Epicure and Jurist.

Brillat-Savarin, the author of "The Physiology of Taste," was the absolute realization of the typical good liver. The French revolution confiscated his property and removed him from his office as civil judge. He fled to Switzerland and then to the United States, where he played a fiddle in a New York theater to gain a living.

His property was afterward returned to him, and he was made a counselor of the supreme court, an office he clung to successfully through changes of empire and kingdom. His "Physiology of Taste" shared the fate of many celebrated books. It was refused by several publishers and eventually was published at the author's expense, but without his name attached to it, as he considered the nature of the work incompatible with his judicial functions.

It was Brillat-Savarin who declared that "the discovery of a new food does more for the happiness of the human race than the discovery of a star."

"Monsieur the counselor," a hostess asked him one day, "which do you prefer, burgundy or bordeaux?"

"Madame," replied the judicial authority, "that is a lawsuit in which I have so much pleasure in taking the evidence that I always postpone judgment."

A LIBERTY WITH TIME.

Castelar's Interrupted Lecture in the University of Madrid.

In "Home Life in Spain" is a fine story of the University of Madrid, which once had among its professors that Senor Castelar who was for a time president of the short lived Spanish republic. But when Alfonso XII. was brought to Madrid after the fall of the republic Castelar, with his companions, was exiled.

Some years afterward an amnesty was proclaimed, and Castelar returned in triumph to Madrid to resume his office in the university. A vast gathering attended to hear his first lecture, and the greatest orator in all Spain mounted the rostrum, looked imperiously at the sea of eager faces surrounding him and began, "As I was saying yesterday" (Como decia ayer).

Between that yesterday and this day he had fought the battle of the fallen republic and had known the bitterness of years in exile. All memory of this, however poignant in the heart of Castelar, had passed from the professor of Madrid's university, and he continued his lecture at the very point at which it had been broken off.

The Sedan Chair.

The sedan chair is named after Sedan, the town where it was first used. The earliest mention of it in England occurs in 1581. Early in the following century the Duke of Buckingham caused much indignation by its use in London. People were exasperated at that nobleman employing his fellow men to take the place of horses to carry him. Prince Charles brought from Spain in 1623 three curiously wrought sedans, two of which he gave to the Duke of Buckingham. A few weeks after their introduction Massinger produced his play, "The Bondman," and in it he thus adverts to the ladies:

For their pomp and care being borne in triumph on men's shoulders.

The reference is doubtless to Buckingham's sedan, which was borne like a palanquin.—"Bygone England."

The Magnetic Poles.

The magnetic poles are not stationary. The northern one is slowly moving westward along the seventieth parallel and in the course of three or four hundred years will probably have encircled the geographic north pole and returned to about its present location. Of course the southern magnetic pole follows a corresponding course about the geographic south pole. In such cities in the United States as Omaha, Sioux City, Topeka, Galveston, etc., the compass needle would point about in the direction of the north star and the north pole that Commander Peary reached. This geographic pole is about 1,500 miles north of the magnetic pole, toward which the needles of all compasses point.—St. Nicholas.

Earliest Use of Mineral Ink.

In ancient times India ink, made from lampblack and glue, was used for writing on papyrus, but inspection of the earliest vellum or parchment MSS. shows that iron gall inks were introduced not later than the ninth century. The reason for the change was that, although a carbon ink is more permanent, it has no penetrating power and can be sponged from the vellum, whereas the iron ink bites into the fibers and resists the destructive action of both air and light.

Age and Youth.

W. D. Howells said of old age at one of his Sunday afternoons: "Age is modester than youth. I've often noticed that when I tell a mother that her daughter is the image of what she was herself at nineteen the mother is delighted, but the daughter looks startled."

Turn to the Light.

If there is anywhere on your horizon a spot of light, fix your eyes upon it and turn your thoughts away from the clouds which may cover the rest of the sky.

Just Like Shopping.

First Suffragette—If you were running for office, would you buy votes? Second—Suffragette—Not unless they could be changed or credited.—Life.

Misfortunes have their dignity and their redeeming power.—Billard.

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Charleroi People In the Far West

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taken. He also saw three American spies who had been captured. Two of these were released, as they were captured on American soil. The United States troops, he said, had the river strongly picketed on the American side. Mr. Wilson spent two weeks at Artesia, New Mexico, where William and George Parks, former Charleroi residents, are making good at farming. The Parks boys, as they are called there, are said to have made the best progress of any of the settlers who started there under the same conditions. The farmers there have formed a melon association, and will produce 200 acres of cantaloupes, which they will ship. The Parks will put in 10 acres each in melons the coming season.

They have also planted several acres in alfalfa and kaffir corn. Mr. Wilson purchased two brood mares at Artesia and left them in the care of George Parks. The Parks have plenty of flowing water on their farm. Mr. Wilson states that New Mexico is a great apple growing country. Before he left he was taken for a drive through the country and saw 600 acres covered with apple bearing trees.

A Soldier and a Gentleman

and quite a few ladies were very much surprised when they learned that we only charged a penny for our Easter Post Cards or any other card. Might's Book Store. 20311

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The Douglas Business College baseball team has challenged the High School team to play a series of seven games. The games will be played in the near future.

Councilman Tom P. Sloan of North Charleroi was at the county seat yesterday.

Chris Brown, Jr., is transacting business in Toledo, Ohio.

J. B. Hughes of Washington was a Charleroi visitor yesterday.

W. S. Weaver of Smithton was in town yesterday on business.

Delhi and Its History.
Shah Jehan in 1631 built the present city of Delhi, close to the old Delhi, and made it the royal residence. The Mohammedans still call it Shahjehanabad, the "city of the king of the world." Nadir Shah, the Persian usurper, captured it in 1739, massacred thousands of the inhabitants and bore away plunder to the value of nearly \$100,000,000, including the famous peacock throne and the great Kohinoor diamond. The British first came into control in 1803, when the Mahrattas were defeated near Delhi by Lord Lake. When the sepooy mutiny broke out in 1857 Shah Mohammed Bahadur, then ninety years old, took command of the city and until the English again triumphed enjoyed the imperial state to which he had long been a stranger.

Harriman Told Him.
Harriman had an almost supernatural instinct for knowing what was going on and who was doing it in the mysteries of stock manipulation. Once when Southern Pacific had been going up fast, Harriman and various banking houses buying in concert, he called up on the telephone one of his private brokers. "Somebody is selling," he said. "Yes, sir," was the answer. "Well, hand the market 25,000 for me." Immediately he called up the head of a banking firm much interested in the market. "Who's selling Southern Pacific?" he asked. "I don't know; we haven't been able to find out," was the answer. "I'll tell you," snapped Harriman; "it's your house." And he cut off the connection before any reply to him could be made.—Exchange.

High Finance.
Briggs—Is it true that you have broken off your engagement to that girl who lives in the suburbs? Griggs—Yes; they raised the commutation rates on me, and I have transferred to a town girl.—Life.

Raised the Ante.
Small Elmer—Papa, give me a nickel. Papa—Why, Elmer, you are most too old to be begging for a nickel. Small Elmer—I guess you're right, papa. Make it a dime.—Chicago News.

His Good Action.
A little Canadian boy went to bed and then suddenly recollected that he hadn't done one good action that day. His conscience was gnawing at him. He heard a little squeal in the corner of his room, and he got up and released a mouse that had been caught in the trap. Then he gave it to the cat.

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"Balancing the big rubber ball is based on the same principle. The ball is soaked in fishy brine and thrown to the seal. He gets the odor and tries his best to get into the ball and find what he is after. This results in his balancing the ball on his nose, a feat to which his supple neck and his natural feeding habits are all adapted, and then he gets his piece of fish as a prize."—New York World.

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Picture Made by a Cave Man Millions of Years Ago.

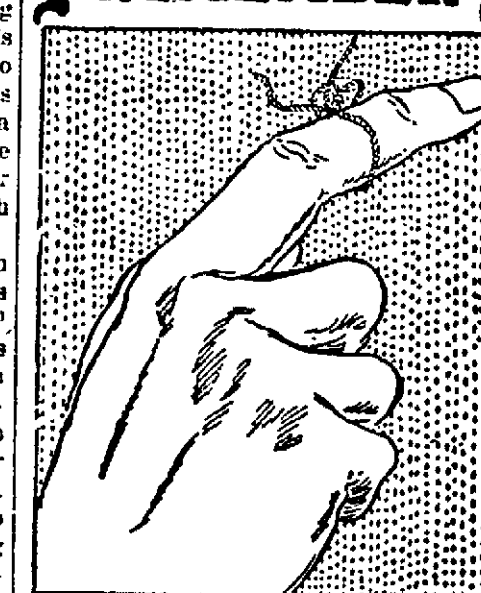
Long ago, so long that even a scientist would hardly dare venture a guess as to the date, a man clad with only a wild beast's skin about his loins was sitting at the mouth of a cave in one of the rocky highlands in what is now southern France. He was scratching with a sharp flint on the fragments of an ivory tusk, perhaps picturing for some youthful admirers adventures through which he had passed or animals he had slain. That ivory chip was stored away as a treasure, to be lost and forgotten after the cave man's death. One day a man named Lartet, digging in the cavern floor, found it. On it was scratched a very fair representation of the hairy elephant probably at once the oldest picture and the oldest human record in existence.

We know the cave man was a faithful workman, for the melting ice fields of Siberia have yielded a perfect specimen of this extinct mammal, and the paleolithic picture is a true copy. Not only has this ancient sculptor given us a sample of the earliest art, but he has left us, more valuable than all, a historical record of his time, for this rude picture is simply a page from the cave man's history which, translated into twentieth century English, says, "Men, thinking men, were contemporaneous with the hairy elephant."

No record that any of humankind have ever left is half so ancient as this. The oldest Egyptian papyrus is a thing of yesterday compared to this paleolithic sculpture. While the cave man was living in Europe the valley of the Nile was yet only a wild waste. Egypt was not yet Egypt, and civilization as we know it had scarcely made a beginning.—Lippincott's.

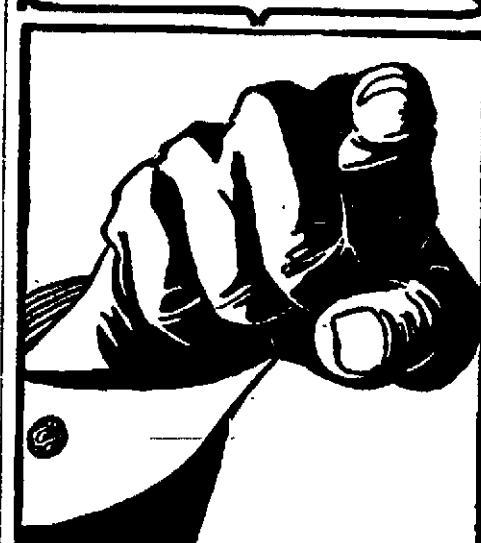
The Tough Kid.
Nabor—I saw the doctor at your house yesterday.
Subbubs—Yes; that boy of mine climbed up on the porch when he was told not to, and—
Nabor—Ah, I see. He fell and broke his—
Subbubs—Not much! He's sound as a dollar. But my wife tried to whip him for it, and now she's a nervous and physical wreck.—Catholic Standard and Times.

REMEMBER



That we have every facility for turning out neat printing of all kinds. Letter heads, bill heads, office stationery, etc., furnished at the lowest prices first class work will permit.

Say, You!



HOW about that printing job you're in need of?

Come in and see us about it at your first opportunity. Don't wait until the very last moment but give us a little time and we'll show you what high grade work we can turn out.



You May Talk to One Man

But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community. Catch the Idea?

ADOLPH WILL ESTABLISH A NEW RECORD IN BARGAIN GIVING

Shoes, Pumps and Oxfords for Men, Women and Children. An extensive display characterized by ECONOMY of price and refinement in styles at tremendous reductions.

For Women

Recognizing the popularity of TAN AND WHITE Shoes for this season, we are offering \$3.50 and \$4.00 values, at.....\$2.45 and \$1.95

These White and Tan Shoes have all the style, character, material and workmanship that will be found in lines selling at other stores for double the price we ask.

Ladies' Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps

In patent, gunmetal or French kid leathers, all sizes and widths, \$2 to \$3.50 values. Sale Price.....98c

For Women

Pumps and Oxfords

In patent, dull and tan leathers, cravenette, velvet and black oze; the finest selection in the town; values range from \$3.50 to \$6; sale prices, \$2.95, \$2.40 and.....\$1.90

Men's \$3.50, \$4 & \$5

Shoes and Oxfords

In Patent, Gunmetal or Russia Cal Tan. Button or blucher in broad or narrow high toes. Every pair guaranteed hand-sewed, Sale Price.....\$2.85

Ladies' \$2.50 & \$3.00

Shoes and Oxfords

In vici kid, gunmetal or patent leather; newest lasts; button and blucher; all sizes and widths; sale price.....\$1.39

Men's \$3 & \$3.50

Shoes and Oxfords

In all leathers and most up-to-date style last, all sizes and widths, will go for.....\$1.90

Boys' and Girls' School and Dress Shoes. Every pair guaranteed to give best of wear. In black and tan leathers, all sizes, \$2 values. Special for.....98c

Little Men's Gunmetal School Shoes. Blucher style. Sizes 9 to 12. Sale price.....69c

Boys' Gymnasium Shoes, with rubber soles; all sizes; value.....39c



DOUBLE Trading Stamps will be given Saturday with every purchase. Ask for them.

From 8 to 11 A. M.

Adolph Beigel

502 Fallowfield Avenue, CHARLFROI - - - PENN'A

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One Cent

BOY DIES FROM TERRIBLE BURNS RECEIVED WHILE PLAYING INDIAN

**Morris Wasserman
Little Son of Mr. and
Mrs. H. Wasserman
Meets Terrible Death**

WATCHING FATHER'S SHOP

**Indian Suit in Which He is
Attired Catches Fire—Lad
Rushes Into Street His
Clothing Ablaze**

Morris Wasserman, the 10-year-old son of Haman Wasserman of 329 Fallowfield avenue, died at about 10:45 o'clock this morning at the Memorial Hospital, Monongahela, from burns which he sustained last evening. The boy's clothing took fire while he was playing around a gas stove in his father's shoe repair shop, and before the flames could be extinguished he was terribly burned about the upper part of his body. When the boy's clothing took fire he dashed into the street and wildly fled in the direction of Fourth street. He was seen by John Sarver, Joseph Ertrott and a couple other men. Sarver seized the little fellow and wrapped two large coats around his body. Ertrott and the other men arriving on the scene assisted in extinguishing the blaze. The boy was carried to Dr. Edwin McKay's office to have the burns dressed after which he was removed to the hospital at Monongahela, where he died this morning.

Attired in an Indian suit little Morris was playing Indian while his father was home for supper. It is supposed that in getting too close to the stove his Indian suit caught fire. Almost the entire upper part of the boy's body was covered with burns, and even when he was taken to the hospital little hope was entertained for his recovery. He leaves both parents, two sisters, and four brothers, Jacob, John, Harry and David.

Will Hold Supper

The teachers and officers of the Christian church will hold a supper in the Sunday school room of the church at 6 o'clock this evening. The object of this meeting is to advance the interests of the Sunday school and the church.

Eminent Divine Coming

Lenten services will be held in the Episcopal church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. W. E. H. Neiler, rector of St. Paul's church, Kittanning, will preach. Mr. Neiler is said to be a particularly talented preacher, and a large attendance is expected.

Burial in Pittsburgh

After a requiem high mass at St. Jerome's church this morning the body of John Fitzgerald, who died Sunday morning at this home in Dunlavy, was taken to Pittsburgh on the 10:29 train, where it will be buried in the Calvary cemetery.

Oatman's Dancing School

Wednesday night, Bank hall. Beginners class 7:30. Social dance 8:45. The new barn dance will be taught Wednesday night.

Country Eggs. Lots of them, 21 cents per dozen. Charleroi City Grocery.

WILL REBUILD LOCAL FOUNDRY

**Stockholders Decide Work
Shall Be Pushed to Early
Completion**

TO HANDLE AUTOMOBILES

It was decided by the stockholders and directors of the Charleroi Foundry and Machine company at a meeting held yesterday afternoon to rebuild the plant on McKean avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets which was destroyed by fire on December 16. Work will begin at once.

It is planned to erect similar buildings to those which were burned. An automobile garage will be constructed and the Hupmobile and Jackson cars handled as before. The estimated cost of the work to be done will be about \$7,500 or \$8,000. It is expected that the new plant will be in shape for complete operation sometime this spring, although the automobile garage may not be finished by that time.

Practically all the machinery used by the foundry and machine company has been overhauled and put in the best of shape. Very little new equipment will be needed.

Insurance on the burned buildings to the amount of \$18,170 has been paid promptly by the 14 companies carrying the risk.

J. F. Donaghy is the president and general manager of the company, P. G. Wallager vice president and treasurer, and John E. Donaghy secretary. The directors are J. F. Donaghy, P. G. Wallager, G. M. Donaghy, John E. Donaghy and Walter Byerly.

PRESIDENT IS ELECTED BY COUNCIL

**North Charleroi Dads
Hold Reorganization
Meeting**

OTHER OFFICERS NAMED

North Charleroi borough council held its reorganization meeting last night. David Schafer was elected president and two of the three vacancies existing in council were filled by re-electing Councilmen Samuel Gaskill and Jasper Rockwell. The election of the remaining councilman was deferred until a later meeting. Present committees were continued, the president to fill any vacancies that may exist. Borough officers elected for the ensuing year were James W. Haggerty, borough clerk; S. W. Sharpneck, treasurer, and Hugh E. Fergus solicitor.

Previous to the reorganization the treasurer's report showing a balance in the treasury of \$128.60 was accepted and bills ordered paid to the amount of \$105.36. The real estate committee was empowered to rent

APPLICANTS FOR MINE FOREMAN CERTIFICATES TAKING EXAMINATIONS

**District Examining Board in Charge of Test Be-
ginning Today at Savings and
Trust Company Hall**

QUESTIONS COVER EVERY PHASE OF THE WORK

This morning the examinations for mine foremen in the 21st Bituminous district were begun in the Charleroi Savings and Trust company hall, being conducted by the district examining board consisting of Mine Inspector F. W. Cunningham, Harry C. Drum and Peter Crockett.

There are 35 applicants taking the examination. They are: L. P. Muir, Joseph F. Joy, Belle Vernon; Alex. F. Dickson, W. E. Dickson, W. H. Gilie, Hugh Young, Roscoe, T. J. Murphy, William Mathieson, Stockdale; Edward L. Hase, Arnold City; Thomas Dinnen, M. L. O'Brien, Wm. H. Barker, Henry Kane, C. R. Bivens, Richard Brackenridge, and Samuel McFarlane, rayette City; G. F. Young, Coal Center; Roy Dick, J. D. Simpson, M. C. Carrill, Joe Crockett, Lloyd Uichlow, California; Wilbert M. Downer, John Mallabone, Jr., Robert J. Wood, Reese Nicholas,

John Dunlap, Allenport, Otto Enfield, Brownsville; Haylet Easton, Daniel Jones, Percy Willis, Pricedale; Joseph Maize, Van Voorhis; Richard Maize, Ellsworth; Alex. Anderson, Arthur Wells, Charleroi.

The questions are much the same as usual. The preliminary questions are concerning data as to age, time of employment, where employed, how long a miner, and similar questions.

Section 1 questions are concerning the legal requirements on haulage, roads ventilation, methods of reducing accidents from falls of coal and slate, how to prevent accident from mine cars, how to rescue men in case of mine fire, how to place pit posts, under what conditions coal dust is dangerous, and how to protect the lives of workmen from danger arising from the use of explosives in mines. A number of mechanical questions are asked which are of grave importance to the miners.

NOTED LECTURER WILL GIVE TALKS

**Prof. Patton to Make Ad-
dresses at Local
Churches**

Prof. H. D. Patton of Lancaster will lecture upon temperance at Lock No 4 Wednesday evening April 5, at the hall. On Thursday, April 6, he will speak in the M. E. church at Charleroi, where a conference will be held at 3:30. On Friday, April 7, he will be at the Christian church. The time of all talks will be at 7:45. Mr. Patton is an able speaker and a large attendance is expected.

the borough hall to the school board for storing purpose during the course of erection of the new school. Members present were Schafer, Sloan, Gaskill, Cape and Rockwell.

Following adjournment of the old body since die Herman Nebelung was elected temporary president and the election of officers preceded.

The street committee was instructed to employ an engineer to establish a street line and curb line along Lincoln avenue, Lincoln avenue extension, Fourth street and Pennsylvania avenue.

An ordinance regulating the opening and excavation on the paved streets of the borough passed first reading.

The matter of open or exposed gas pipes was brought up and was referred to the street committee for their prompt attention.

To cover work to be done the coming year \$175 was appropriated to the Board of Health.

The street committee was instructed to secure an estimate for paving Seventh street between Lincoln avenue and West Railroad street. It is the intention to have the present crossing at Fifth street moved to Seventh street in the near future.

A resolution was passed granting the Valley Crystal Ice and Storage company permission to construct a conveyor over Long alley under the condition that they protect the borough from any damage claims.

Pittsburg Railway Co.

Round trip ticket to Washington at reduced rate. For sale at McKean Book Store, McKean avenue. 20212

Notice

Our milk has that sweet, pleasant taste. It's Bonnell's dairy. 20211

See Fleming's ranges. 19211

LOCAL MENTION

**Interesting News Items Con-
densed for Busy Readers.**

Call and see Flemings new line of Bathroom trimmings. 19811
A Better than carpet—easy to keep clean—Lawrence Floor paint. J. H. Bowers. 20211

Do you drink? Then get one of the individual drinking cups with a box of Rexall Tooth or Talcum Powder. Carroll's Drug Store 20311

W. G. Johnston is transacting business in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. J. A. Jacobs and daughter Hester are visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Get your metal polish at Fleming's 19211

Lawrence House Paints do not crack, peel nor blister. J. H. Bowers. 20211

Miss Adele Heupel returned this morning to Beaver College after a visit of three days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Heupel of Lincoln avenue.

Miss Agnes Thompson is in Pittsburgh on business today.

Miss C. Gilford is demonstrating Madame Maselle's complexion beautifier at Berryman's store.

Mrs. James Obleger was taken the West Penn Hospital at Pittsburgh today.

Electric lamps 4, 8, and 16, 20 and 32 c.p. at Flemings'. 19811

Bonnell's Jersey herd dairy. 20211

Mrs. J. H. Bowers is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. J. W. Hunter of Washington avenue is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

P. T. Kameron and H. L. Hall of Greensburg were in town yesterday on business.

L. R. Pratt of Ridgeway was in town yesterday.

Miss Pearl L. Sanders, teacher of Piano and organ. Call or address 509 First street, Charleroi, Pa. 20112

Go to Fleming's for gas supplies 19211

Professor Harry Cornwall was up yesterday from Pittsburgh looking after his professional business here. Mr. Cornwall is a teacher of piano and harmony and will be here every Monday to instruct a limited number of students. 20311

J. H. White of Connelville was in town yesterday looking after business interests.

Chas. P. Keifer of Brookline transacted business in Charleroi yesterday.

ANNUAL REPORTS FOR FISCAL YEAR

**First Presbyterian Church
Holds Annual Congrega-
tional Meeting**

TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED

Reports for the year were read and two trustees and an elder were elected last night at the annual meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church. Total receipts for the fiscal year ending April 1 were \$2,219.72

Receipts for pastor's salary and general expenses were the largest for any separate fund. In this fund \$1,248.01 was collected. Disbursements amounted to \$2,219.95. The largest expenditure was for pastor's salary of \$1,200. A payment of \$200 was made during the year on a note.

In the Sunday School there were total receipts of \$411.07. Disbursements amounted to \$233.96, leaving in the treasury a balance of \$177.11. The amount in the regular treasury is \$61.54. The Ladies Aid Society reported receipts during the year of \$1,039.74 and expenditures of \$778.14. The Junior Christian Endeavor society reported receipts of \$16.38.

Robert Beaver was elected an elder and John Donaghy and Ed. Pensyl trustees.

CHARLEROI PEOPLE IN FAR WEST

**M. Wilson Describes
Visit With Former
Residents**

WAS IN THE WAR ZONE

M. Wilson of Fallowfield avenue returned Saturday from a seven months' tour through the west and on the Pacific coast. During his absence he visited St. Louis, Kansas City, Omaha, Lincoln, Denver, Pueblo, Colorado Springs, Cripple Creek, Leadville and other prominent cities. He spent five months in California, and while in that State visited the most of the Charleroi people who have gone to the Golden Gate State.

At Pomona Mr. Wilson met M. E. Riggs and V. E. Reeves who have purchased a 10 acre orange grove there, with the trees in splendid bearing. Some of the trees yield as high as 20 boxes of oranges. The entire crop of the 10 acres was sold for \$4,000 on the trees. Mr. Riggs proposes to divide five acre of the tract into lots, build houses on them, and sell with a small grove on each lot. Mr. Wilson thinks the project a money-maker.

S. W. Ross and J. G. Godissart former Charleroi business men, Mr. Wilson found at Los Angeles. Mr. Ross has a beautiful house and is engaged in the real estate business.

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**Much Important Busi-
ness is Taken Up
at the Regular Month-
ly Meeting**

THE REPORT OF BURGESS

**March a Slow Month in Po-
lice Circles—Light Com-
mittee Presents Report
and Recommendation**

The yearly report of Borough Treasurer E. W. Hastings occupied the attention of council at their regular monthly meeting last night. The total receipts of the year were \$46,403.03, and the disbursements amounted to \$46,548.30. There is a balance in the treasury to date of \$961.97.

President J. K. Helm was in the chair and the following member of council were present, C. O. Frye, Dr. A. O. Davis, W. R. Gaut, Oscar C. Linn, W. H. Calvert. Councilman Charles Schmeiler was absent.

Councilman Gaut of the fire, water and light committee reported that the committee recommended placing a Tongston light at the corner of Fourth street and Lincoln avenue, as petitioned by residents of that section. He recommended the location of ten additional fire plugs in various parts of the borough. The report and recommendation were accepted.

Frank L. May was present asking for a sewer on Oakland avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets at his property. Mr. O'Connell was present representing a disinfectant company and council gave an order for some of their disinfectant to be used in the table and the lockup.

Jesse Smith asked for the grade for a sidewalk on Second street and council took action to have an engineer prepare plans and specifications.

The revised ordinance of the C. D. and P. Telephone company was reported by the ordinance committee, and it passed second reading.

Burgess Risbeck reported 41 arrests during the month and \$50.90 collected in fines and costs. Treasurer E. W. Hastings reported for last month receipts amounting to \$2,704, and disbursements of \$1,917.60 leaving a balance in the treasury of \$961.97.

Mr. Godissart has a hotel and restaurant and is doing a thriving business. On Sundays, Mr. Wilson said, he frequently serves as high as 300 meals. Los Angeles is over-crowded with small business places, according to Mr. Wilson's observation, and only the banks, the real estate agents, the hotels and a few of the larger stores are making money. The city is crowded with unemployed men, and is no place for a man seeking employment. Money commands from one to two per cent a month.

J. Harshman and Allen Rockwell, formerly of North Charleroi, Mr. Wilson says, are at Los Angeles doing well in the contracting business. Fred Thompson he found at Gardena taking life easy in a beautiful bungalow, raising breeds of fancy chickens on a two-acre plot.

While in Texas Mr. Wilson went across the Rio Grande to Juarez, the seat of the Mexican rebellion. He was there immediately after the first battle with the insurgents, and saw some of the prisoners the Federals had engaged in the real estate business.

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

A Systematizer



It systematizes affairs to have a Checking Account, as your check book enables you to conduct your business in the most practical and accurate manner.

Accounts subject to checks are cordially invited.

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.



Lens Grinding

Particular attention is invited towards this branch of our business. We operate our own optical shop and are fully equipped to fill all prescriptions accurately. If you are not a patron of this department we want to urge upon you that you give us a trial. You will appreciate our service.

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LOCAL AGENCIES
G. S. Night Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck Lock No. 4
C. T. Hixenbaugh Belle Vernon
C. T. Hixenbaugh " "

April 4 in American History.
1776—Washington's army left Cambridge, Mass., to march to the defense of New York.
1792—Thaddeus Stevens, statesman, born; died 1868.
1841—William Henry Harrison, ninth president of the United States, died; born 1773.
1865—President Lincoln entered Richmond; sequence of the fall of Petersburg and the evacuation of their capital by the Confederates.
1879—Mme. Patterson-Bonaparte, at one time wife of Jerome Napoleon's youngest brother, died; born 1785.
1888—Peter Cooper, philanthropist, founder of Cooper Institute, in New York, died; born 1791.
1906—General Blanco, last captain general of Cuba, died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow)
Sun sets 6:24, rises 5:33; moon sets 12:58 a. m.

For County Commissioner
JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.
Primates, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primates June, 1911.

Marks an Epoch

Should Governor Tener's Public Utilities Commission bill reported into the Legislature becomes a law, it will mark an epoch in the corporate history of Pennsylvania. Never before has proposed legislation in the State taken such cognizance of the rights of the people, or offered such means of redress for public grievances as this measure. It is devoutly hoped that the measure will pass in its entirety, and that the courts will sustain its full intent and purpose.

With a law like this on the statute books, which will compel the public service corporations to play fair, much of the popular discontent and hostility to corporations will be eliminated. It was contempt of the public rights on the part of these corporations, and their peculiar methods of financing and operation that arrayed the public against them and created much of the friction that has developed. All that the public asks is for the corporations to do business on the level, and to give value received for the special corporate privileges they are granted. The public needs the service undertaken by these corporations, but the latter must give adequate returns. The public is here to be served—not to be bled.

When corporations are so restrained that they know they cannot "hog" things, and that they must pursue the same personal and business ethics as man to man and neighbor to neighbor, things will move along better. The public is content to permit the corporations to receive a fair compensation on their investment but the latter must no longer be permitted to flaunt the public for the privileges they enjoy.

Lexowing

If resolutions introduced in the present Legislature materialize, both

Pittsburg and Philadelphia will be "Lexowed," that is, investigated as to their moral and civic conditions by special committees appointed by the Legislature. The process got its name during one of the shake-ups in New York, when a legislative committee under the chairmanship of a legislator named Lexow, looked into the vice conditions of New York, as traded upon and bartered for political advantages by Tammany Hall leaders. Certain charges made by eminent Pittsburghers before the joint Legislative committee in Harrisburg in support of an argument for a new city charter precipitated the action.

While little is expected to result from a "Lexowing" investigation, as more or less whitewash always is applied in such cases, thousands of Pittsburghers and others familiar with the situation know that things are many fold worse than have been pictured. When a municipal administration starts out with the a vowed intention of building up a political machine that cannot be broken, something must figure as trading assets, and in this case irregularities and vice are the collateral. All who are in the least familiar with conditions in Pittsburgh know that under the present administration things in the underworld are wider open than under the preceding administration, and that previous to Mayor Guthrie's election, "Darker Pittsburgh and Allegheny" were about the darkest spots on the municipal map of the United States. Then it was that the political organization of Pittsburgh was, in the language of its chief, "as safe as a bank."

If conditions in Pittsburgh were exposed as they really are—as the police and newspaper men know them to be—the public would be more shocked than it is now over the revelations that only touch the fringe of conditions. The "Lexowing," however, will not reveal the true conditions.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

You don't have to tell many jokes to make the girl with the pretty teeth laugh.

Many a man has exchanged his favorite ballad from "Mary, My Scotch Bluebell" to "Cherry, My Scotch Highball."

Monongahela is said to have a number of Black Hand men. Is it possible?

Conventions are becoming so numerous that they are actually nuisances. When it comes to real fighting it's up to the old fashioned American Indian to demonstrate how it should be done.

A Washington man is in a serious

condition as the result of a bitten finger. But didn't he know any better than to bite his finger?

Uniontown between times stirs up a councilmanic middle.

We haven't heard a thing about the changes in the baseball rules.

When Charlie Taft put on long pants everybody started calling him Mister Taft. Other young folks still stick to their old names as a rule when they grow up.

It's funny that the \$5 a half hour vocal instructors never find anybody who can please them, excepting themselves.

An exchange says that kicking of looking for trouble and kicking when you find it is all darn nonsense.

"Don't kiss me" signs are all right to place on people under 16 years old, but it would be silly to try to enforce the rule on chorus girls and comedians.

Breathes there a girl with soul so dead.

Who never to herself hath said "This is my new, my Easter hat," Whose soul within her bath not burned.

As heads to look at her bath turned, As in her paw she sat.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"What's that little scrap of poetry about a young man's fancy lightly turning to thoughts of love in the spring?" asked a Charleroi citizen, who on the street corner with one or two others was observing signs and seasons which herald the approach of spring. "That hits me in the spring—not sentimental love, but the love of the woods, green fields and babbling brooks. I was born and bred in the open, but all my later life I've been housed within four walls, a part of that time on night duty. Nothing is more irksome, and the struggles I have between duty and the almost irresistible call of the wild every spring is something I don't like to think about. What makes me melancholy is that there is no more wild country in the east any more, where one could lose himself for a time like there used to be.

"I'd like nothing better than to build me a cabin somewhere in the wilderness and spend the rest of my days. I could find diversion enough in the changing seasons, the growth and development of animal and plant life as well as 'books in the running brooks and sermons in stones.' It is a disappointed ambition that I cannot live near to Nature's heart. I dream of it at night as well as think of it constantly in the spring time. When I die I know that I shall, like Falstaff, 'babble of green fields.'"

"Will anyone tell me why fill is cast on one body?" said the smart 'devil' who was learning the lay of the case in the Mail office recently. "I can't for the life of me think of a single word with fill in it."

"Oh, 'piffle,' said the foreman

"Go on with the work, and don't be afflicted with so much curiosity."

"How easy it is to get in wrong," said a traveling man at the station the other day. "During the past week I was in the home office in Philadelphia, and one day while at dinner in a restaurant I said to the waitress, 'Have you frogs' legs?' "No," she replied, I've a sprained ankle that makes me walk this way." "Now, what in the world is a man to do when he is misunderstood in that manner?"

NO MORE RUNNING SORES

W. F. Henning Sells an Ointment Called San Cura That is a Positive Cure

It matters not how old, persistent or poisonous the sore is, San Cura Ointment, the powerful antiseptic will, draw out every particle of poison and promptly heal the sore.

So sure of this are the owners, the Thompson Medical Co., that they have authorized W. F. Hennings to return the purchase price if San Cura Ointment doesn't do all this paper says it will do. No fairer offer was ever made.

B. D. Dutton, Titusville, Pa., says: "My arm was covered with twenty-four running sores and swollen to twice its natural size. San Cura Ointment removed the pain, drew out the poison and healed the arm in an incredibly short time. It is the greatest compound for healing I ever used."

The mighty healing powers of San Cura Ointment are little short of marvelous. It gives instant relief and is guaranteed to cure salt rheum, eczema, bleeding, itching protruding piles, ulcers, boils, carbuncles, chapped hands and chilblains. For cuts, burns, scalds and bruises, it stops all pain quickly and heals promptly. 25c and 50c a jar. By mail on receipt of price, if your druggist is out of it or does not keep it.

SAN CURA SOAP.

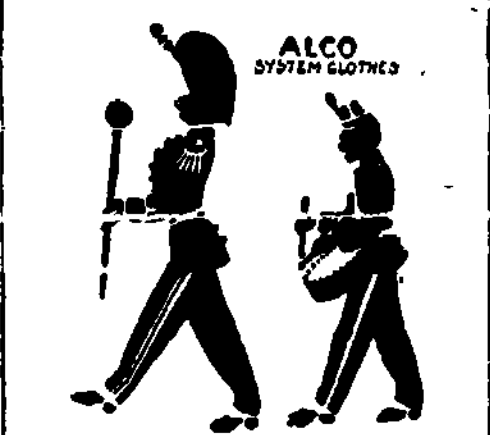
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Moving From Town

J. W. McKean, who recently disposed of his jewelry business on Fallowfield avenue to move to Woodlawn, has sold his house on the corner of Fourth street and Washington avenue to Harry Duval of Fallowfield township. The McKean family will leave Charleroi in about two weeks.

Lloyd Wagner who has been sick the past two weeks returned to school today at the Pittsburg Medical department in Pittsburg.



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A WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.

Effect It Produced on Her Husband's Business Affairs.

A delegation of young men lately waited on their employer's wife with the oddest request on record. "You see, madam," said the spokesman, "we want to have a half holiday every Saturday. Now, if you will be particularly nice to Mr. Page for a few days we'll go to him and ask."

"Gentlemen," the lady haughtily interrupted, "do you imply that I do not understand what is due to my husband?" "Oh, I know all about it, madam," the spokesman went on. "I'm married myself. Things go wrong in the house, and you're tired and cross at breakfast, then we suffer at the office. You stay up late to chaperon your daughter at a ball, and we have more trouble at the office. You're a bit cross three mornings in succession for one reason or another, and we have a—terrible time at the office."

"You see how the matter stands and how greatly you will oblige us by being more than usually agreeable to Mr. Page for three or four days. The fourth day give him the best breakfast you can—everything that he likes best—and we'll get what we want in three minutes."

"Talk about a woman having no influence in the business! Why, the humor she's in has more effect than a bank failure or a boom in trade."

She thought she ought to be angry, but instead she laughed and agreed to the proposition, and four days later when they waited on the head of the firm he made the closing hour 12 o'clock and said never in the history of the firm had things run as satisfactorily as they had during the last four days.—London Tit-Bits.

Hongkong, with its luxurious hotels, its princely clubs, its rich and influential banks, housed in splendidly constructed and beautifully designed buildings; its shipyards and graving docks able to care for the largest vessels; its miles of warehouses bursting with wealth; its yellow sailed fleets laden with silks, tea, sugar and precious porcelains; its commerce almost as great as that of New York; its botanic gardens hung amid delightful villas overlooking a harbor that is a city in itself and that floats 10,000 sails; Hongkong, with its wonderful temples of ornate teak roofs, its idols of a hundred sects, its French cathedral, its forts, garrison and naval life, its Happy Valley race course—all at the end of white man's civilization. Supreme from the peak on which it rests, a well bred aloofness it looks askance a sordid Asia, whence it sprang.—W. Aylward in Harper's Magazine

How "Thon" Would Work.

"Thon" is the word which has been suggested for use as an English pronoun of common gender, a luxury which the English language has thus far had the fortune to forego. It was considered suitable for English because it came from the Greek. Its use may be illustrated as follows:

If a parent desires to spank thon's (his or her, as the case may be) child thon (he or she) should take thon (him or it) across thon's knee. Then thon should remove thon's slipper, and after explaining to the child the reprehensibility of thon's conduct thon should apply the slipper to that portion of thon's anatomy which from time immemorial has been dedicated to that purpose.

It may easily be seen from the above how "thon" effects great clarification.—Lippincott's.

The Real Thing.
"This," said the young benedict who was just realizing that he had caught a tartar, "is what I call real married life."
"I'm glad you're satisfied with something," she snapped.
"Oh, I'm not! I merely meant to inform you that it is not ideal!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

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A trip through this store will be well worth the time.
The demonstrations will be educational.
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HAD FURNISHED ROOMS.

And He Had a Sign Out to Let the Neighbors Know.

In a little settlement on the outskirts of Chicago two houses stand out more prominently than the rest. These are the domiciles of two Italians of means, who, although being very ignorant men, vied with each other for the social leadership of the locality.

One day a newcomer, in search of temporary lodgings, attracted by a conspicuous sign in the window of the first of these two houses, stepped to the door to make inquiry.

"I see you have furnished rooms here," he said to the swarthy man who answered his knock.

"Ya," rejoined the foreigner, pointing to the furnished room sign, "dere's da sign."

"Well, if you have one that's suitable I'd like to rent it for awhile."

"We no rent da rooms," was the bewildering declaration. "I got my family in here, and dey take up all da house."

"Don't rent any rooms? Why, then have you that sign stuck in the window?"

"I'll tell you. Last week dat fellow next door hang such a sign in his front window, an' w'en I see dat I put one of de same kind in my front window just to show da people dat he ain't only man in dis place dat have his rooms furnished."—Judge's Library.

SEEING THE FAR EAST.

It Should Be Viewed Through the Bible and "Arabian Nights."

The best books on the east, as every one knows, are the Bible and the "Arabian Nights," and yet I found most travelers were saturating themselves with snippery descriptions of monuments and places, with tabloids of history, with technical paragraphs on architecture and the ethnic religions, with figures about the height of this and the length of that or condensed statistics of exports and imports and the tonnage through the Suez canal and dates about the Pharaohs and the Mughals. No wonder they see nothing, know nothing, enjoy nothing and come home bringing a few experiences, adjectives and photographs which can be had for a small price in either New York or London.

The first thing to do in going to the east is to turn your education out on your desk so that you can get at the bottom of it, and there you will find the Bible and the "Arabian Nights" and the "Odyssey" and "Hill and Virgil" and "Herodotus" and "Xenophon" and you will realize what a fool you were not to have devoted more time to them when you were asked to do so. Guide books can get you to the east, but they do not get you inside. It is temperament, not trains, that counts.—Price Collier in Scribner's Magazine.

Perfumes.

Civet is an aromatic substance of the consistence of honey and is obtained from a pouch on the civet cat, an animal from two to three feet long and about ten or twelve inches high. The best known of animal odors is musk, which is obtained from the musk deer. China furnishes the best quality. Twenty-five pods or sacks are packed in oblong boxes composed of plates of lead inclosed in a caddy made of pasteboard. Musk is obtained from Assam, Siberia, the Altai mountains and other parts of northern Asia. Ambergris is another animal odor. It is secreted in the intestines of the sperm whale. A very curious fact is that ambergris is only accumulated by disease—that is, it is only secreted in a sick whale. It is very hard, of a light gray color and is found in quantities varying from twenty to fifty pounds. It is worth about \$8 an ounce.—London Standard.

Mucilage and Gum.

"I went into a stationer's shop in London one day," said an American, "and said to the shop assistant:

"Do you keep mucilage?"

"No, sir," the young man answered. "We try to take in all the papers, but there are so many new ones coming out. Still, I can order mucilage for you, sir. Which number did you want?"

"I learned afterward that I should have asked for gum. They don't have the word 'mucilage' over there in England."

"But an Englishman traveling on one of our railways stopped a train boy and said:

"Have you got any gum?"

"No; I don't use it, boss," the boy replied in friendly fashion, "but I can let you have a chew of this here plug."—Washington Star.

An Accomplished Linguist.

"Did you learn any French while you were in Paris?" asked Bilhad, meeting Silthers shortly after his return from Europe.

"Oh, a little," said Silthers. "Not so very much, though. I got so I could say 'cigarette' in French."

"Good!" said Bilhad. "What is cigarette in French?"

"Cigarette," said Silthers.—Harper's Weekly.

Taking Away From the Subject.

When Frederick Robertson of Brighton, the great preacher who had written much about Tennyson's poems and for whom the poet had a high regard, first called upon him, "I felt," said Tennyson, "as if he had come to pick out the heart of my mystery, so I talked to him about nothing but beer."

For the First Corner.

Young Man—So Miss Ethel is your oldest sister. Who comes after her?

Small Brother—Nobody ain't come yet, but pa says the first fellow that comes can have her.—Boston Transcript.

Too Precious.

"Makers to his majesty" and "imported" are words that carry much weight to many minds. It is strange what a glory a foreign label can cast upon a commonplace article. The fact of a commodity having crossed the water, however, is not taken quite so seriously today as it was some fifty or sixty years ago. M. C. D. Silsbee gives an instance in her "A Half-Century in Salem."

Miss Ann M. Rust was one of the two milliners. She had a large collection of finery—shelves full of handsome ribbons and glass showcases of rich embroideries, besides the inevitable bonnets. Once she imported a quantity of exquisite French caps. The strings were somewhat crushed in the transit across the ocean. The caps were quickly disposed of. An aunt bought one, and Miss Rust innocently observed that a "warm iron would make the creases all right."

"What!" indignantly exclaimed the aunt. "Smooth a crease made in Paris? No, indeed; never!"

A Famous English Clock.

Wells cathedral contains one of the most interesting clocks in the whole world. It was constructed by Peter Lightfoot, a monk, in 1320 and embraces many devices which testify to the skill of the English clockmaker.

Several celestial and terrestrial bodies are incorporated in the interesting movement and relationship. They indicate the hours of the day, the age of the moon and the position of the planets and the tides. When the clock strikes the hour two companies of horsemen fully armed dash out of gateways in opposite directions and charge vigorously. They strike with their lances as they pass as many times as correspond with the number of the hour. A little distance away, seated on a high perch, is a quaint figure, which kicks the quarters on two bells placed beneath his feet and strikes the hours on a bell. The dial of the clock is divided into twenty-four hours and shows the phases of the moon and a map of the universe.—Harper's.

He Made Them Listen.

"X" Beldier, the old vigilante leader of Montana, was elected sheriff of Lewis and Clark county, in which Helena is situated. During Beldier's incumbency the jail was rebuilt and one of the new fashioned steel cages for the prisoners installed. Beldier invited all the notables down to see the cage when it was completed. The governor and the state and city officials and many prominent citizens accepted the invitation. "X" took them into a cage and excused himself for a minute. He went out and locked the door. Then he took a chair and sat down outside.

"Now, dern ye," he said to the imprisoned notables, "ye've bin edgin' off lately when I was tellin' my stories of the old days an' not listenin' to 'em. Now I reckon ye'll listen."

He kept them there three hours—until he had told his whole budget of tales.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

Max O'Rell's Reply.

Max O'Rell at a dinner in Montreal at which were present English, Scotch, Irish and French was asked to give his opinion of the different races. Here is the answer he gave on the instant.

"The Scotchman," he said, and he clinched his right hand tightly and pretended to try to force it open with his left. "The Englishman"—And he went through the same performance, opening the hand at the end after an apparent struggle. "The Irishman"—And he held out his hand wide open, with the palm upward. "The Frenchman"—And he made a motion with both hands as if he were emptying them on the table.

There was not a word of explanation, but all understood thoroughly and had a hearty laugh.

A Good Shot.

A sportsman of great imaginative gifts and fond of telling his exploits related that at one shot he had brought down two partridges and a hare. His explanation was that, although he had only hit one partridge, the bird in falling had clutched at another partridge and brought that to earth entangled in its claws.

"But how about the hare?" he was asked.

"Oh," was the calm reply, "my gun kicked and knocked me backward, and I fell on the hare as it ran past!"

An Old Christmas Law.

The general court of Massachusetts Bay Colony, following the example of the English parliament, in 1659 enacted a law that "anybody who is found observing, by abstinence from labor, feasting or any other way, any such day as Christmas day shall pay for every such offense 5 shillings." This law was repealed in 1681.

It Got Warmer.

Little Willie—Say, pa, doesn't it get colder when the thermometer falls?

Pa—Yes, my son. Little Willie—Well, ours has fallen. Pa—How far? Little Willie—About five feet, and when it struck the hall floor it broke."

On the Trail.

"I'm gunning for railroads," announced the trust buster.

"Then come with me," whispered the near humorist. "I can show you some of the tracks."—Brooklyn Life.

He Was Immense.

Howell—Her laugh is contagious.

Powell—Well, I was in no danger of catching it. She was laughing at me.—New York Press.

To know the worst is one way whereby to better it.—Alfred Austin.

How Old People May Prolong Their Lives

At advanced age the organs act more slowly than in youth. Circulation becomes poor, blood thin and watery, appetite fitful, and digestion weak. This condition leaves the system open to disease such as Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Pneumonia, Rheumatism, etc.

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BRILLAT-SAVARIN.

Tribulations of the Famous French Epicure and Jurist.

Brillat-Savarin, the author of "The Physiology of Taste," was the ablest politician of the French revolution. The French revolution confiscated his property and removed him from his office as civil judge. He fled to Switzerland and then to the United States, where he played a fiddle in a New York theater to gain a living.

His property was afterward returned to him, and he was made a counselor of the supreme court, an office he clung to successfully through changes of empire and kingdom. His "Physiology of Taste" shared the fate of many celebrated books. It was refused by several publishers and eventually was published at the author's expense, but without his name attached to it, as he considered the nature of the work incompatible with his judicial functions.

It was Brillat-Savarin who declared that "the discovery of a new food does more for the happiness of the human race than the discovery of a star."

"Monsieur the counselor," a hostess asked him one day, "which do you prefer, burgundy or bordeaux?"

"Madame," replied the judicial authority, "that is a lawsuit in which I have so much business in taking the evidence that I always postpone judgment."

A LIBERTY WITH TIME.

Castelar's Interrupted Lecture in the University of Madrid.

In "Home Life in Spain" is a fine story of the University of Madrid, which once had among its professors that Senor Castelar who was for a time president of the short-lived Spanish republic. But when Alfonso XII. was brought to Madrid after the fall of the republic Castelar, with his companions, was exiled.

Some years afterward an amnesty was proclaimed, and Castelar returned in triumph to Madrid to resume his office in the university. A vast gathering attended to hear his first lecture, and the greatest orator in all Spain mounted the rostrum, looked imperiously at the sea of eager faces surrounding him and began, "As I was saying yesterday" (Como decia ayer).

Between that yesterday and this day he had fought the battle of the fallen republic and had known the bitterness of years in exile. All memory of this, however poignant in the heart of Castelar had passed from the professor or Madrid's university and he continued his lecture at the very point at which it had been broken off.

The Sedan Chair.

The sedan chair is named after Sedan, the town where it was first used. The earliest mention of it in England occurs in 1581. Early in the following century the Duke of Buckingham caused much indignation by its use in London. People were exasperated at that nobleman employing his fellow men to take the place of horses to carry him. Prince Charles brought from Spain in 1623 three curiously wrought sedans, two of which he gave to the Duke of Buckingham. A few weeks after their introduction Massinger produced his play, "The Bondman," and in it he thus adverts to the ladies.

For their pomp and care being borne in triumph on men's shoulders
The reference is doubtless to Buckingham's sedan, which was borne like a palanquin.—"Bygone England."

The Magnetic Poles.

The magnetic poles are not stationary. The northern one is slowly moving westward along the seventieth parallel and in the course of three or four hundred years will probably have encircled the geographic north pole and returned to about its present location. Of course the southern magnetic pole follows a corresponding course about the geographic south pole. In such cities in the United States as Omaha, Sioux City, Topeka, Galveston, etc., the compass needle would point about in the direction of the north star and the north pole that Commander Peary reached. This geographic pole is about 1,500 miles north of the magnetic pole, toward which the needles of all compasses point.—St. Nicholas.

Earliest Use of Mineral Ink.

In ancient times India ink, made from lampblack and glue, was used for writing on papyrus, but inspection of the earliest vellum or parchment MSS shows that iron gall inks were introduced not later than the ninth century. The reason for the change was that, although a carbon ink is more permanent, it has no penetrating power and can be sponged from the vellum, whereas the iron ink bites into the fibers and resists the destructive action of both air and light.

Age and Youth.

W. D. Howells said of old age at one of his Sunday afternoons: "Age is modester than youth. I've often noticed that when I tell a mother that her daughter is the image of what she was herself at nineteen the mother is delighted, but the daughter looks startled."

Turn to the Light.

If there is anywhere on your horizon a spot of light, fix your eyes upon it and turn your thoughts away from the clouds which may cover the rest of the sky.

Just Like Shopping.

First Suffragette—If you were running for office, would you buy votes?

Second—Suffragette—Not unless they could be changed or credited.—Life.

Misfortunes have their dignity and their redeeming power.—Billard.

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Then, as now, there were many blood purifiers and spring medicines on the market, and after looking into them, she found nothing so good as the old home medicine made from roots and herbs, which she had been accustomed to use in her own family, so she had this made up on a large scale, and furnished it to the stores. It has been very little advertised, but has attained a large sale solely on its merits, and is really a wonderful blood purifier and spring medicine.

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Charleroi People In the Far West

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takes. He also saw three American spies who had been captured. Two of these were released, as they were captured on American soil. The United States troops, he said, had the river strongly picketed on the American side. Mr. Wilson spent two weeks at Artesia, New Mexico, where William and George Parks, former Charleroi residents, are making good at farming. The Parks boys, as they are called there, are said to have made the best progress of any of the settlers who started there under the same conditions. The farmers there have formed a melon association, and will produce 200 acres of cantaloupes, which they will ship. The Parks will put in 10 acres each in melons the coming season.

They have also planted several acres in alfalfa and kaffir corn. Mr. Wilson purchased two brood mares at Artesia and left them in the care of George Parks. The Parks have plenty of flowing water on their farm. Mr. Wilson states that New Mexico is a great apple growing country. Before he left he was taken for a drive through the country and saw 600 acres covered with apple bearing trees.

A Soldier and a Gentleman

and quite a few ladies were very much surprised when they learned that we only charged a penny for our Easter Post Cards or any other card. Might's Book Store. 2031f

Notice

Haube the florist is now located at 520 Fallowfield avenue, where he will be pleased to hear from his old and new customers. 20312

The Douglas Business College baseball team has challenged the High School team to play a series of seven games. The games will be played in the rear future.

Councilman Tom P. Sloan of North Charleroi was at the county seat yesterday.

Chris Brown, Jr., is transacting business in Toledo, Ohio.

J. B. Hughes of Washington was a Charleroi visitor yesterday.

W. S. Weaver of Smithton was in town yesterday on business.

Delhi and Its History. Shah Jehan in 1631 built the present city of Delhi, close to the old Delhi, and made it the royal residence. The Mohammedans still call it Shahjehanabad, the "city of the king of the world." Nadir Shah, the Persian usurper, captured it in 1739, massacred thousands of the inhabitants and bore away plunder to the value of nearly \$100,000,000, including the famous peacock throne and the great Kohinoor diamond. The British first came into control in 1803, when the Maharras were defeated near Delhi by Lord Lake. When the sepoy mutiny broke out in 1857 Shah Mohammed Bahadour, then ninety years old, took command of the city and until the English again triumphed enjoyed the imperial state to which he had long been a stranger.

Harriman Told Him.

Harriman had an almost supernatural instinct for knowing what was going on and who was doing it in the mysteries of stock manipulation. Once when Southern Pacific had been going up fast, Harriman and various banking houses buying in concert, he called up on the telephone one of his private brokers. "Somebody is selling," he said. "Yes, sir," was the answer. "Well, hand the market 25,000 for me." Immediately he called up the head of a banking firm much interested in the market. "Who's selling Southern Pacific?" he asked. "I don't know; we haven't been able to find out," was the answer. "I'll tell you," snapped Harriman; "it's your house." And he cut off the connection before any reply to him could be made.—Exchange.

High Finance.

Griggs—Is it true that you have broken off your engagement to that girl who lives in the suburbs? Griggs—Yes; they raised the commutation rates on me, and I have transferred to a town girl.—Life.

Raised the Ante.

Small Elmer—Papa, give me a nickel. Papa—Why, Elmer, you are most too old to be begging for a nickel. Small Elmer—I guess you're right, papa. Make it a dime.—Chicago News

His Good Action.

A little Canadian boy went to bed and then suddenly recollected that he hadn't done one good action that day. His conscience was gnawing at him. He heard a little squeal in the corner of his room, and he got up and released a mouse that had been caught in the trap. Then he gave it to the cat.

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HISTORY ON A TUSK.

Picture Made by a Cave Man Millions of Years Ago.

Long ago, so long that even a scientist would hardly dare venture a guess as to the date, a man clad with only a wild beast's skin about his loins was sitting at the mouth of a cave in one of the rocky highlands in what is now southern France. He was scratching with a sharp flint on the fragments of an ivory tusk, perhaps picturing for some youthful admirers adventures through which he had passed or animals he had slain. That ivory chip was stored away as a treasure, to be lost and forgotten after the cave man's death. One day a man named Lartet digging in the cavern floor, found it. On it was scratched a very fair representation of the hairy elephant probably at once the oldest picture and the oldest human record in existence.

We know the cave man was a faithful workman, for the melting ice fields of Siberia have yielded a perfect specimen of this extinct mammal, and the paleolithic picture is a true copy. Not only has this ancient sculptor given us a sample of the earliest art, but he has left us, more valuable than all, a historical record of his time, for this rude picture is simply a page from the cave man's history which, translated into twentieth century English, says, "Men, thinking men, were contemporaneous with the hairy elephant." No record that any of humankind have ever left is half so ancient as this. The oldest Egyptian papyrus is a thing of yesterday compared to this paleolithic sculpture. While the cave man was living in Europe the valley of the Nile was yet only a wild waste. Egypt was not yet Egypt, and civilization as we know it had scarcely made a beginning.—Lippincott's.

The Tough Kid.

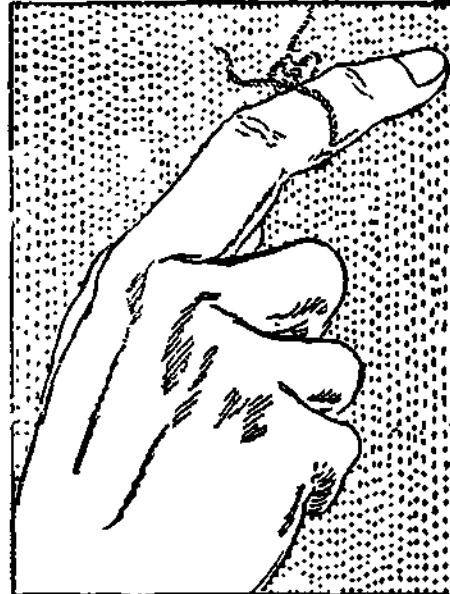
Nabor—I saw the doctor at your house yesterday.

Subbubs—Yes; that boy of mine climbed up on the porch when he was told not to, and—

Nabor—Ah, I see. He fell and broke his—

Subbubs—Not much! He's sound as a dollar. But my wife tried to whip him for it, and now she's a nervous and physical wreck.—Catholic Standard and Times.

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